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KILLS ONE; WOUNDS FIVE BEFORE SLAIN

Sheriff of Queens County, N. Y., Murdered By Squatter

Home of Frank Taff is Besieged by Policemen, Deputy Sheriffs and Bluejackets for an Hour and a Half Before Fugitive is Finally Killed.

WHITE STONE, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Paul Stier, sheriff of Queens' county, was shot and killed and four policemen and a deputy sheriff were wounded later today by Frank Taff, a squatter near here, before Taff was killed by Police Sergeant James Fitzgerald after a siege of an hour and a half during which policemen, deputy sheriff and bluejackets from the United States torpedo boat Henry tried to capture Taff.

Stays Sheriff With Shotgun.
Sheriff Stier, accompanied by a deputy and policeman went to Taff's shanty, located in a strip of woods, to arrest him on an order for contempt of court. When the officers informed Taff of their mission he picked up a shotgun and fired at them. The sheriff dropped to the floor mortally wounded. Mrs. Taff, who had admitted the sheriff, fled from the shanty and Taff ran to the roof with a rifle and a liberal supply of ammunition.

Sergeant Obtains Automatic Rifle.
Police reinforcements arrived soon and the shanty was surrounded. After five men had been wounded by the squatter, Sergeant Fitzgerald obtained an automatic rifle from the torpedo boat and approaching the hut ordered Taff to surrender. Taff fired at Fitzgerald and the latter, a former United States soldier returned the fire. Taff fell dead on the roof of the shanty.

Probably Mentally Unbalanced.
The police said tonight that Taff probably had been mentally unbalanced, due to his failure to perfect the invention of a "fin" propeller for motorboats. He wasted his money, it was said, in futile efforts to have the propeller placed on the roof of the shanty.

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The Jurors Who Have Been Chosen.
The men selected for jury service today, all residents of Galveston, were:

E. P. Morse, painter, Protestant, but no church affiliations.

R. G. Porridge, baker, German Lutheran.

George Clutterbuck, merchant, an Episcopalian.

A. A. Farb, produce man, a Jew, who said he did not attend religious services.

W. G. Tabb, real estate man, Episcopalian.

J. B. Eberlein, paper hanger, a German Lutheran.

A. P. Voight, machine shop owner, Protestant, but not regular church attendant, who said his wife was a Catholic and his children attended a Parochial school.

D. E. Wolfe, bookkeeper, Jew.

GREAT LAKES STORM CLAIMS MANY LIVES

Hope that Steamer Merida Had Escaped Is Dispersed—All Crew Believed Lost.

Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 23.—The finding of six bodies in Lake Erie today confirmed fears entertained that the steamer Merida, owned by the Valley Camp Shipping Company of Midland, Ont., was wrecked in the fierce gale which swept the lake Friday and in which three other vessels, the steamer Marshall F. Butters, the whaleback James B. Colgate and the schooner D. L. Filer, were lost.

Fifty Lives Are Lost.

The Merida carried a crew of 23. Twenty-one on the Colgate and six on the Filer were lost in the storm, making the total lives lost in the wreck 50. Another was added to the list today when it was learned that Walter J. Tedo of Redwood, N. Y., a seaman on the barge Isaac L. Bell, was washed overboard while the ship was at anchor off Bay Point during the storm. The property loss on the four ships is estimated at \$325,000.

Six Bodies Recovered.

The steamer W. D. Mathews brought three bodies of the Merida crew into Toledo today and the steamer Charlotte Breitling took three into Windsor, Canada.

The revenue cutter Morrell started out late this afternoon to search for more victims. The Canadian steamer Clemsen also is conducting a search.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 23.—All hope that the steamer Merida, long overdue at Buffalo, had escaped the storm, was dispelled early today, when it was learned that several bodies, some of them wearing life belts stamped "Merida" were picked up in Lake Erie by the Steamers W. D. Mathews and Charlotte G. Brinburg. The Merida was commanded by Captain H. L. Jones of Buffalo. She carried a crew of 23 men, all of whom are believed to have perished. Twenty-one lives were lost with the whaleback steamer James B. Colgate and six when the D. L. Filer foundered. All thirteen of the crew of the Marshall F. Butters were rescued when that vessel was caught in the gale and sank.

DROPS DEAD IN SCHOOL.

Burlington, Iowa, Oct. 23.—Mrs. Lottie Baldwin of this city, aged 41, a teacher in the public schools of Burlington for nearly twenty years, dropped dead in her class room at North Hill school today apoplexy being the cause.

ST. LOUISAN WINS SHOOT

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 23.—W. H. Spencer, civilian of the Mound City Rifle club, of St. Louis, won first place in a field of 929 competitors in the individual rifle match of the national board for promotion of rifle practice here today. Spencer, scoring 274 points out of a possible 300 in 200 yards of rapid fire and 600 and 1,000 yards of slow fire shooting, gained the title of individual champion rifle shot of the United States.

CROSS BORDER INTO U. S.

Laredo, Texas, Oct. 23.—Mrs. Venustiano Carranza, her two daughters and Mrs. Alvaro Obregon, who arrived at Nuevo Laredo yesterday, crossed the border into the United States here today. It is understood the party will remain here several days.

Two Steamers Sunk.

London, Oct. 23.—Lloyds announced here today that another advance of twenty cents a barrel on flour would be made tomorrow. This will increase the price of patents to \$7.60 per barrel, a new high record.

EIGHT MEN CHOSEN ON COPELAND JURY

Trial of Texas Man Charged With the Killing of Anti-Catholic Lecturer Begins.

Galveston, Texas, Oct. 23.—By holding a court session that lasted almost until 7 o'clock Judge Clay Stone Briggs tonight succeeded in impaneling eight of the twelve men who will try John Copeland, a bank cashier of Marshall for the killing of William Black, an anti-Catholic lecturer, in that city on February 3rd.

May Complete Jury by Noon.

It is thought the jury will be completed by noon tomorrow. James G. Stubbs, leading counsel for Copeland said he would attempt to prove self-defense. Six of the jurors selected today are Protestants and two are

Methodists.

Officials Admit Heavy Fighting.

According to this report, obtained by secret service agents for the federal department, Villa retreated from a position forty miles on the railroad west of Chihuahua City toward San Andres. This led the Carranza vanguard into the trap. The bandits hidden in rocky defiles along the railroad poured a heavy fire into the exposed Carranza troops, according to the report. The same source of information claims to have confirmation of the report that the Carranza troops then retreated to Santa Ysabel, then to Palomas and are now in Fresno, the first station west of Chihuahua City. Carranza officials here admit there has been heavy fighting between Santa Ysabel and Chihuahua City, but General Gonzales in Juarez insists he has received no details.

General Jacinto B. Trevino, commanding the forces of the Carranza government in Chihuahua City and the northern zone, sent an official denial today to General Francisco Gonzales in Juarez, of the report that General Carlos Ozuna had been killed. General Trevino's message stated General Ozuna was in good health.

Spends Time on Hearst Ranch.

Villa spent several days on the Santa Ana ranch near Namiquipa, one of the Hearst properties before he and his band suddenly left a week ago according to a letter received here today from the manager of the ranch. They made their visit a costly one to the Hearst estate by slaughtering six hundred bees and turning their horses loose to feed in the corn fields. All available horses were seized. Villa's men were only partially armed. On leaving, the men said they had been called to Santa Ysabel. They seemed unable to find ammunition caches which they were seeking. General Pershing, it is known, unearthed numerous ammunition caches while in the Namiquipa district.

Fighting on Own Property Sunday

A scouting force of the Fifth United States Cavalry from the Pershing expedition was at Las Cruces, about 25 miles distant, while Villa was at Santa Ana, the letter said.

Villa was fighting on his own property Sunday, it is learned here. His ranch at Fresno was acquired by purchase from a German.

Surgeons From All Over United States in Attendance at Annual Clinical Congress.

Philadelphia, Oct. 23.—Eminent surgeons from all parts of the country attended clinics and saw many difficult feats of surgery demonstrated by experts in the various hospitals in this city today. It was the opening session of the seventh annual clinical congress of surgeons of North America and for weeks past local practitioners have been saving rare and interesting operative cases where the delay would not be detrimental to the patients.

New methods of bone grafting and the latest discoveries in blood transfusion besides many less spectacular operations were performed in the hospital.

GOMPERS WILL TAKE STUMP FOR WILSON

New York, Oct. 23.—Five trainloads of Democrats from this city will go to President Wilson's summer home at Long Branch, N. J., next Saturday afternoon the executive committee of Tammany hall announced today.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, announced here tonight that he would take the stump tomorrow for President Wilson.

POPE TO HOLD CONSISTORIES.

Rome, Oct. 23.—via Paris—Pope Benedict has decided to hold a secret consistory December 4th, and a public consistory Dec. 7th, at which he will create new cardinals. The Red Hat will be conferred on Monsignor Count Raffaele Schipanelli, former papal nuncio at Vienna, and Monsignor Fruehwirth, former nuncio at Munich. Monsignor Fruehwirth will be replaced at Munich by Monsignor Aversa, papal nuncio in Brazil, who is now on his way to Rome.

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FOUR DIE WHEN AUTO PLUNGES INTO RIVER

Wealthy Advertising Man and Social Settlement Workers Drown in Chicago River.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 23.—Hugo J. Warner, wealthy advertising man and three others, all social settlement workers, were drowned tonight when Warner's limousine plunged over an open draw bridge into the Chicago river tonight. They were returning from the Maxwell settlement house.

The Dead.

Warner, who was 31 years old, was advertising manager and director of the firm of Lord & Thomas. He was master of the Boy Scouts of the settlement.

The others who were drowned were:

Sylvan Kusel, 20 years old, law student and teacher of English to the foreign class at the settlement.

Miss Lillian Klausner, social worker in Maxwell settlement and Hull House.

Miss Jennie Klausner, her cousin teacher in the Jewish Normal Training School.

The Rescued.

Mrs. Henrietta J. Warner and Miss Sarah Bernstein, both settlement workers and sociologists, were rescued. They escaped from the closed car and were thrown against piling where they clung. The bodies of the drowned have not been recovered.

Did Not Hear Warning Signal.

The rescued women were so chilled, it was several hours before they were able to identify themselves and other members of the party. The bridge had been opened to permit the passage of a boat. The women agree they did not hear the warning signal and that no chains had been stretched across the roadway. Within ten feet of the bridge, the automobile rolled down a slight incline and skidded when Mr. Warner realized the danger and applied the brakes.

Both Strong Swimmers.

Mrs. Warner and Miss Bernstein were both strong swimmers and were able to save themselves.

Mrs. Warner with her husband Kusel, were in the front seat.

"There was a rush of water as the car struck," she said, "and I tried to open the door, but was unable to. I turned to the other side on which was the steering wheel. My husband had been there a minute before, but must have broken the window and got out. I felt the whole and swam thru it and managed to reach a piling."

One of Rear Doors Broken Off.

Miss Bernstein said one of the rear doors had been broken apparently by a piece of driftwood and she had managed to swim out to safety.

Warner was a brother-in-law of Albert Laskar, president of Lord & Thomas. Kusel was the son of Isaac J. Kusel, president of the Stronghart company, advertisers. He was reported to have been engaged to wed Miss Jennie Klausner, who was a student at the University of Chicago. She was the daughter of Solomon Klausner, a wealthy real estate dealer. Miss Lillian Klausner was the daughter of Samuel Klausner, a wealthy wholesale liquor dealer.

Report Attacks Repulsed.

Berlin in touching upon the fighting against the British and French Sunday between Leasars and Rancourt, says the attacks of the entente allies were sanguinely repulsed. It is admitted in the German official communication that the Germans withdrew Sunday night from the north of Chaulnes south of the Somme to a prepared position lying east of the northern part of Chaulnes wood.

On Rear Transylvania Front.

On the Transylvania front stubborn fighting still is in progress between the Teutonic allies and the Romanians for the mountain passes and the territory inside Rumania captured by the Austro-Germans.

Stop Attack North of Brody.

The Russians, having been cleared from Narayivka river region of Galicia, the Austro-Germans have hurled a violent attack against other forces of Emperor Nicholas north of Brody, near the Volhynia-Galicia border. The attack was repulsed, according to Petrograd.

Sabres Now on Defensive.

At the bend of the Cerna river in Serbia, Berlin says the Germans and Bulgarians, fighting side by side, have halted the offensive of the Serbs, who now are on the defensive. Bad weather is still hampering full operations on the Macedonian front.

Bombard Austrian Positions.

The Italians have again begun a lively bombardment of Austrian positions on the Carso plateau, northwest of Triest, probably presaging another attempt soon to press toward Austria's chief seaport on the Adriatic.

Thousands of Letters Received at Minneapolis for Firm Which Has Disappeared.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 23.—Millikin meets Lombard at Galesburg and Williams and Vashti plays at Eureka in games this week that may have a bearing on the Little Nineteen conference football race.

Only half a dozen teams remain undefeated. In this list Illinois College of Jackson and Millikin lead with St. Viator, Eureka, Williams and Vashti and Shurtleff following in order.

While Lombard was defeated

Early in the fall by Illinois College, yet the team has apparently improved until it is expected they will give Millikin a hard fight at a possible chance of eliminating the big blue eleven, Illinois Wesleyan, Bradley, Illinois Normal, Lincoln, Blackburn, Charleston Normal, Hedding, Macomb Normal and Carthage have all been put out of the race.

Gets 18 Months Sentence.

Homer T. French, another member of the alleged "syndicate" pleaded guilty today of extorting \$15,000 from Alfred R. West, a tea and coffee merchant and was sentenced to eighteen months in the federal prison at Atlanta.

MUST SAVE POTATOES.

London, Oct. 23.—A despatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Copenhagen says: "The Burgomaster of Eckernforde, Schleswig-Holstein, publishes an urgent order against the peeling of potatoes. The order says the prospects of obtaining potatoes in the future are exceedingly small and that despite official control it is probable that only a couple of pounds weekly per head will be obtainable. Anyone discovering peeling potatoes before boiling or throwing away peeling will be punished by three months imprisonment or a fine of 1500 marks."

MINE WORKERS RESCUED.

Pottsville, Pa., Oct. 23.—Sixteen mine workers were caught behind a wall of fire in a gangway in the Susquehanna Coal company's Lytle Colliery at Minersville today and rescue parties worked until late tonight before they were released. All of the men were taken out alive.

WEATHER CONDITIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois: Rain and colder Tuesday.

Wednesday: Wednesday generally fair; rising temperature in north and west portions.

Temperatures

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Monday were:

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That One Term Resolution

Apropos of the visit to Jacksonville last night of Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer is the recollection that it was to Mr. Palmer that President Wilson wrote advising that the resolution providing for making the president of the United States ineligible for re-election should be killed.

This action in congress promptly followed and Mr. Wilson thus in violation of his party platform pledge paved the way for re-election in 1916. That platform pledge was unequivocal and read: "We favor a single presidential term and to that end urge the adoption by amendment to the constitution making the president of the United States ineligible for re-election, and we pledge the candidate in this convention to this principle."

The year following—that is, in 1913—William J. Bryan in his speech to the Pennsylvania legislature at Indianapolis and elsewhere referred indirectly to the famous one referred indirectly to the famous one victory that a man who did not live up to his campaign promise was worse than an embezzler.

In Kansas.

Miss Harriet Vittum, western manager for the women's work of the Republican campaigners has received word from Mrs. W. Y. Morgan of Kansas that the women of Kansas will give Hughes a big majority in the November elections. Mrs. Morgan says:

"The majority of the women of Kansas will vote for Mr. Hughes because they believe in him and in the policies he stands for. This is the first time that Kansas women have had an opportunity to vote in na-

tional elections and they are expected to cast a big vote. The Republican party is the only party that offers anything to women so it is no wonder it is having the enthusiasm of the women voters. I heard Mr. Wilson speak before the National Woman's Suffrage convention at Atlantic City this fall. No man ever had a better opportunity and no man ever messed it up worse. I never heard such a flow of language, such flights of oratory. It took an able brain to keep up with his cultured stream but it didn't take a quick mental machine to know he had not pleased the women."

The Hughes Alliance is attracting a big line of thinking women who are not necessarily Republicans but who favor Mr. Hughes for president. Mr. Hughes jeopardized his political chances in the eastern states when he came out for national suffrage amendment, no wonder women are working for Mr. Hughes."

Mrs. Morgan is president of the Kansas Suffrage association and is one of the women who led the votes for women cause to victory in her state.

The Study of German and Russian.

Both sides of the much-mooted question whether the study of German will be unfavorably affected by the war, was ably discussed by Prof. Wilson Porterfield of Columbia University in a recent issue of "School and Society." A great falling off in the number of students studying German in the American universities has been noted since the beginning of the war, but it is doubtful if the heat of sympathy for the cause of France and England which is at the bottom of this will subside in the cold light of reason when the war fever subsides. There looms on the intellectual horizon also when one would consider these matters, the increased influence of Russia in every field, commercial as well as literary, which everybody expects to be vastly potential after the war, and a development in the study of Russian which will be little short of marvellous.

In revising the trend of events Dr. Porterfield conscientiously presents the best and the worst that can be said as regards both the Germans and their language. His own view is that the study of German is very helpful to Americans, and that the number of people interested in this study is not likely to be influenced by the war, no matter which way the victory goes. He points out that "there is no phase of human existence that German literature does not treat; there is no foreign literature the best of which the Germans have not translated; there is no field of art and science which the Germans have not cultivated; there is no literature in which principles of discipline, moral and esthetic, are more potently set forth; there is no body of national writings in which it is made more plain that the love between citizen and country is mutual; there is no great modern literature more closely related to the English."

"Again and again he refused permanent retainers from captains of great industries because he wished his work as a lawyer to be free from entanglement and restraint. This he desired more than the great gain which would easily have been his.

"One day a group of New York judges were dining together at the Hoffman House. One said, 'Who among the younger men will take the places of Root, Choate and Carter at the bar?' 'I will tell you one man, who will,' said a judge, 'and that man is Charles E. Hughes.' This prophecy was most remarkably fulfilled. His reputation increased by leaps and bounds, and it was natural that when the gas investigation in New York City was considered that Hughes should be the man to undertake this complicated work.

The question was whether the gas rates to the public of New York City could be fairly reduced. As was usual with him he dropped all his other work at great sacrifice and gave himself wholeheartedly to the task.

"He went to the gas plants, studied the process of manufacture, the system employed in the business, the values of the investments, and the whole territory involved. This was the Hughes style of preparedness—to know what he was after before he made his start. The investigation was a marvel of directness and thoroughness, and fully sustained the reduction thereafter made by statute based upon its findings. Hughes would not draft the statute until the facts brought out in the investigation had been thoroughly analyzed.

"The result was that the law stood against the assaults of most resourceful antagonists who invoked the constitution and archaic theories of economics to sustain the gas company's objection but it was finally sustained by the Supreme Court of the United States. It became a common saying in New York in those days that Hughes was 'the people's' lawyer.'

"Again he showed the same spirit, the same fellowship with the people in the New York Insurance Investigation. As he himself puts it, 'Grave irregularities had been discovered in the management of life insurance corporations. Official positions had been used for private gain and the money contributed by the policy-holders for their mutual protection had been wasted in a scandalous manner. Extravagant salaries had been paid, favorites had been permitted to enrich themselves at the expense of the policy holders. An elaborate system had been established for the purpose of controlling legislation in the State and throughout the country and enormous sums had been secretly disbursed without proper vouchers. The revelations of these grave abuses in connection with our greatest fiduciary institutions shocked the civilized world.'

"Where did Hughes get this profound sympathy for the people? Back in his humble beginning in the little cottage where he was born at Glens Falls, New York, among the hills. Back in his struggles as a

J. P. Lippincott, Misses Marian and Georgia Fairbank have been appointed delegates to the Springfield Association of Congregational Churches, which is to meet in Woodburn Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

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WINCHESTER

Mr. and Mrs. William Stelman and little son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stelman.

Winona Hill left Sunday for Decatur to enter school. She was accompanied to Jacksonville by her mother and both expect later to make their home in Decatur.

Mrs. James Beddingfield of Alsey was a visitor here Monday.

Among visitors here from Bluffton Monday to attend the opening of circuit court were James Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Likes, Henry Summers, Hunt Sargent, George Sisson, Monroe Taylor, Elmer Wooford, Richard Nortrap, Leonard Black, E. L. Kendall, Dr. J. Day and P. C. Burris.

Melvin McLaughlin and wife are both ill at their home.

Robert Woodall and children were in Jacksonville Sunday to see Mrs. Woodall, a patient at Passavant hospital.

Claude Taylor of Bluffton was a visitor here Monday.

Alonzo Ellis of White Hall arrived Saturday for a short visit here. He returned Sunday and Mrs. Ellis will return today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb and son of Concord were here Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marillie.

There have recently been completed a number of improvements and this school on the Cass county line, of which Miss Mary Sullivan is the teacher, is ranked among the progressive schools of northern Morgan county.

FORMER RESIDENT IS MARRIED IN NASHVILLE.

Friends here have received word of the marriage of Miss Pearl Williams, formerly of Jacksonville, and W. W. Wallace, a Peoria resident. Miss Williams left Sunday for Nashville, Tenn., and there the ceremony was to take place. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace will make their home in Copper Hill, Tenn.

Miss Williams removed to Peoria from this city about three years ago. She was employed for a time in the store of Montgomery & Deppe and has in Jacksonville many friends, who will wish her well. The groom is by profession a diamond cutter.

Miss Williams was a member of First Baptist church and was a singer of ability. She resided with her mother on East State street.

Hand picked pears, \$1 per bu.; speckled pears, 50c bu.

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AT BRUSH COLLEGE NORTH.

Young people of Literary will assist this evening in the entertainment at Brush college, north, and indications are that a good crowd will assemble at the school house this evening. A clever three-act comedy will be the chief feature and a box supper will be served.

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J. H. Barnes of Chandlerville is in the city for a visit with his son, Harry Barnes.



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Joseph Knuss of New Berlin made a trip to the city Sunday in his Paige automobile.
James Murphy of Springfield was a visitor yesterday with some of his Jacksonville friends.
King Craigmire of Murrayville made a business trip to the city yesterday.
Wm. Magill, wife and daughter of Springfield spent Sunday with Mr. Magill's parents on East College avenue.
Walter Duchardt of Beardstown was an arrival in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haigh and children came down from Havana yesterday for a visit with Mr. Haigh's parents on Hardin avenue.

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W. S. Dickerson of Whitehall spent Sunday with friends in Jacksonville.
J. Herman made a trip to Chicago Sunday night to make extensive purchases of goods in his line.
Miss Margaret Welch of Winchester was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Ward of Peoria spent Sunday with Mrs. Ward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ebenezer Spink of this city.
Miss Fanny Griswold of Whitehall was among the visitors in the city yesterday.
Miss Mildred Burns of Winchester was numbered among the shopper in the city yesterday.
H. E. Renetzky of Springfield made the city a visit yesterday.
W. C. Erwin of Cleveland, Ohio, and representing the White Gas Automobile Company, was in the city yesterday visiting L. F. O'Donnell, the local agent.

Miss Nona O'Donnell of Springfield spent Sunday at the home of her brother, L. F. O'Donnell, of this city.
Mrs. Thomas Brownlow of Chapin made the city a visit yesterday.
Scott Green of the region of Antioch was a caller in the city yesterday.
Andrew Johnson of Literberry was among the visitors in the city yesterday.
Luke Ottman of Exeter was a visitor with Jacksonville friends yesterday.

L. Hadaway of Chapin was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.
Samuel Butler of Wodson precinct was a caller in the city yesterday.
Charles Lewis, the grain dealer of Springfield, was interviewing Jacksonville friends yesterday.
J. A. Allen of Springfield, representing the Fisk Rubber Company, was in the city yesterday visiting R. T. Cassell.
James Tribble of Franklin was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. James Mullen and daughter, Letha, were up to the city from Bluff yesterday.
Mrs. Dolly Walker and son, Raymond, were city arrivals yesterday from Winchester.

Dr. C. C. Cochran went to St. Louis on business yesterday.
Mrs. Lilly Goacher has returned from a visit with her son at Hillview.
The venerable Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Corrington, is recovering from recent indisposition.
Frank Wingler of Salem vicinity visited the city yesterday.
D. D. Angelo of Woodson precinct was transacting business in the city yesterday.
Lewis and Wm. Rexroat, residents of Concord precinct called in the city yesterday.
W. E. McCurley of Woodson came up to the city on business yesterday.
George Wood of Pisgah was looking after his affairs in the city yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Oren Crum of Literberry were down to the city yesterday.
Frank C. Ogden of Newman was a city caller yesterday.
George Kimber of Waverly was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.
A. J. Pratt of Griggsville was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.
D. N. Foster of the northeast part of the county was a city caller yesterday.
N. F. Perry was here from Pittsfield yesterday on business.

W. E. and L. L. Anderson of Canton, were visitors in the city yesterday.

J. V. Porter of Roodhouse, spent Monday in the city on business.
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MRS. LOU MURPHY IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

Woman Taken to Hospital Suffering From Fractured Skull—Mystery Surrounds Case.

Mrs. Lou Murphy is at Passavant hospital suffering from a fracture of the skull and minor bruises about the neck and shoulders. Dr. J. U. Day, who attended her, does not know as yet whether the fracture will result seriously. The injured woman is the wife of George Murphy.

There seems to be some mystery about the affair. Dr. Day stated to a reporter for The Journal early this (Tuesday) morning that he was called to the residence of Elmer Cannon on North Sandy street and found Mrs. Murphy there. He called an ambulance and had her removed to Passavant hospital. He also notified the police and Capt. Roach went to the hospital and questioned Mrs. Murphy before she was put under anesthetic. Mrs. Murphy was very reticent as to how she was injured, saying that she fell and hurt herself.

The police do not believe this and it is probable that a further investigation will be made today. Dr. Day was of the opinion that Mrs. Murphy was hurt some time between 5 and 6 o'clock Monday. However, he was not called until about 10 o'clock.

The fracture is at the back of the head and there is a hole of considerable size in the scalp. There are also a number of bruises about the neck and shoulders.

Hand picked pears, \$1 per bu; speckled pears, 50c bu.
Wilson & Harding.

AMONG THE SICK.

Gene Scarlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scarlett, is ill of scarlet fever at his home on North Church street.

Miss Gertrude Young has for the past several days been quite ill at her home on West State street.

J. B. Seng, who for several days has been ill at Passavant hospital, is somewhat improved.

J. K. Henry remains quite ill at his home near Nortonville.

Rev. and Mrs. N. W. Thornton, who have been spending several days with friends in Pisgah, where Dr. Thornton preached Sunday at Pisgah Presbyterian church, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Kuechler. Dr. Thornton returned to Gennessee Monday evening, but Mrs. Thornton will visit friends in the city the remainder of the week, when Dr. Thornton returns to again preach at Pisgah church.

OIL STOVES
See the Blue Bell oil stove at Gay's Reliable Hardware.

It's Harder Every Day To Buy Coal

Shipments to us are greatly curtailed by the car shortage. But we are still able to take care of customers with reasonable promptness.

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ROADS WANT UNIFORM STANDARD OF OPERATION

President of Burlington Defines Attitude of Railroad Interests in Statement.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—The attitude of the railroad interests toward state railroad commissions was defined here today in a statement by Hale Holden, president of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy road and chairman of the railroad president's committee in the recent trainmen's controversy. He denied the roads were seeking the destruction of the state boards but said the roads would like to place exclusive control of all questions pertaining to railroad affairs that were more than statewide in their functions, under the interstate commerce commission or some other federal body.

Leads to Confusion and Expense

"First, in importance," he said, "is the rate making power. Forty-nine states' commissions making rates and rules for the government of inter-state carriers is rapidly leading to confusion and much unnecessary expense to the carriers."

Will Not Change Present System.

The house of deputies refused, by diocesan vote to adopt the recommendation of a special committee proposing the present system of equal diocesan representation in the house of deputies to be changed to one of proportionate representation.

Fears were expressed by representatives of some of the smaller dioceses that the proposed amendments would throw the balance of power to the larger and wealthier church bodies.

The report proposed that, instead of each diocese being represented, as at present, by four clergymen and four laymen, a minimum of three delegates from each order be allowed from diocese, with an additional lay and clerical delegate for each one hundred resident clergymen, the maximum representation being six from each order.

Have Seat But No Vote.

The lower house refused to concur with the house of bishops in its action giving a seat and vote in the upper house to suffragan bishops.

Concurrent action is necessary. As at present suffragans have a seat but no vote. However, the lower house adopted a resolution providing for a constitutional amendment allowing suffragans to substitute in the event of the death or disability of the bishop.

Session Will Remain Secret.

The house of bishops today rejected a proposal to open their sessions which have been behind closed doors, since the first triennial convention in 1879 to the press and public.

LUMBER MEN TO GATHER

Portland, Ore., Oct. 23.—The annual forest industry conference of the Western Forestry and Conservation association and the annual Pacific Logging Congress are to be held jointly in this city, beginning tomorrow morning and continuing until the end of the week. These are the largest gatherings of Pacific Coast forest interests, being attended by lumbermen, state and government officials and railroad representatives from the five western timbered states from Montana to California and from western Canada.

COUNTY CLUB WOMEN.

There will be a meeting of the executive board of the Morgan County Federation of Woman's clubs at the Peacock Inn this evening at 5 o'clock.

The Glacklin law vote for the building of a tuberculosis sanitarium will be the subject for special consideration.

After the business meeting the women will enjoy lunch and will then adjourn to Central Christian church to hear the lecture by Dr. Milligan and the stereopticon entertainment.

TALKS TO NURSES.

"Books" was the theme of an interesting talk to nurses of the Passavant hospital training school Monday evening by Miss Lydia M. Barrette, public librarian. This was the first of a series Miss Barrette will give the nurses.

SERVICE AT LITERBERRY.

Rev. F. M. Cravtree of Whitehall was in the city yesterday, returning from Literberry, where he conducted the usual service at the Baptist church in that place. Sunday evening next he expects to begin there a series of meetings, from which much good is anticipated.

FORMS LAW PARTNERSHIP.

Roswell O. Post, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Post, of this city, has recently formed a partnership for the practice of law with Norman J. Miller in San Francisco. The firm name is Miller & Post, and they have offices in the Chronicle building.

MRS. BOND STRIKEN WITH APoplexy.

News has been received here of the recent sudden death of Mrs. Florence Bond in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Bond was the wife of T. B. Bond, who was superintendent of construction of the Ayers National bank building and was a resident of Jacksonville for over a year.

Mrs. Bond was stricken with apoplexy and passed away after a very brief illness.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bonny A. Fraunbarger, 334 Caldwell street, a son, Clifford Earl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Dorwart of Franklin, Monday, a son, Mrs. Dorwart was formerly Miss Elizabeth Ludwig of Alexander.

T. R. SPEAKS IN N. MEXICO

East Las Vegas, N. M., Oct. 23.—

Theodore Roosevelt in a twenty minute speech here tonight criticised President Wilson's Mexican policy and urged his hearers to vote for Charles Evans Hughes and "real Americanism."

The United States, he said, in order to restore order in Mexico must restore our neighbor republic to its proper govenors just as was done in Cuba.

EXPRESS COMPANIES**GIVEN HEARING**

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MAY RETAIN NATIONAL AND RACIAL CUSTOMS

Protestant Episcopal Church Makes New Ruling in Regard to Jews—Effort To Give Women Power To Sit As Delegates Abandoned.

St. Louis, Oct. 23.—Jews, who have accepted Jesus Christ as the messiah and have become communists of the Protestant Episcopal church, may retain, if they desire, the Jewish national and racial customs, according to a ruling of the house of deputies of the church's general convention, in session here today. The action was based upon a resolution in which it was asserted there are in the United States hundreds of Jews who have accepted Christ and yet have hesitated to affiliate with Christian denominations because they do not care to abandon their racial customs.

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Speak to Large Crowd

A long line of men, standing double file carrying huge American flags and banners, led by a band, escorted tonight, Hanly and Ira Landrith, the vice-presidential nominee to the hall where they spoke to a large crowd.

WASHING MACHINES.**See the Vacuum Washer \$13 at Gays Reliable Hardware.****MISSISSIPPI STATE FAIR**

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 23.—Crop diversification is the keynote of the Mississippi State Fair which opened today with a busy week in prospect.

The greatest variety of farm products ever displayed here is included in the exhibition. The exhibit of machinery is very large and includes all kinds of modern improved farm implements and labor saving devices. The stables, pavilions and cattle pens are filled with the best exhibits of horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry seen here in years.

The judging of the cattle and horses began today and will continue thru the week. Hundreds of visitors are already in the city. For their entertainment the fair management has provided an exceptionally high-class list of free amusements.

CONVENTION OF MICHIGAN CLUBWOMEN

Jackson, Mich., Oct. 23—Delegates from more than 300 clubs, located in every section of the State, arrived in Jackson today to take part in the annual convention of the Michigan State Federation of Women's Clubs. The large attendance indicates an unusual degree of interest in the convention, aroused in part by the election of president and other important officers, and partly by important questions of policy.

Mrs. R. H. Ashbaugh of Detroit has completed her second year as president and by the rules of the federation is ineligible for re-election. Several candidates are in the field to succeed her. The convention has its formal opening tonight with a banquet at the Masonic temple.

The business sessions will begin tomorrow morning and continue until Friday.

TO TRY ALLEGED MOB LEADERS

Lima, O., Oct. 23.—The first in a long list of Lima men indicted as a result of the riotous demonstration by a mob some weeks ago are to be brought to trial this week. The accused are charged with participating in the attack on Sheriff Sherman Ely in an attempt to secure a negro prisoner held for an assault on a white woman.

Public interest in the trials has been aroused to a high pitch because of the prominence of many of the defendants. The first case to come to trial is that of Milton Spyker, feed store proprietor, who is alleged to have been a leader of the mob.

STEAMER RAFTSUND

London, Oct. 23.—The Norwegian steamer Raftsund, 689 tons, has been sunk, says Reuter's Christiania correspondent. The crew was landed.

NINETEEN DIE IN MINE

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 23.—Nineteen are dead as the result of the explosion in the Marvel, Ala., mine of the Roden Coal company, Sunday afternoon the last two bodies being taken out today.

THROAT SPECIALIST DIES

Philadelphia, Oct. 23.—Dr. D. Braden Kyle, a widely known nose and throat specialist, died at his home here today of pneumonia. He was 63 years old and had been ill less than a week.

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James Sank, Peoria, Mary Woulfe, Jacksonville.

PROHIBITION CANDIDATE TURNS GUNS ON WILSON

Bosses Attack on Letters Received by Prohibitionists From Secretary Tumulty.

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 23.—J. Frank Hanly, the Prohibition presidential candidate turned his guns on President Wilson here tonight, declaring his "standpattism" on the liquor question outstripped the Aldriches, Cannons, and Penroses in their blindest and most reactionary hours."

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Bonds and Securities	996,272.04
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation	200,000.00
Overdrafts	9,013.48
Federal Service Bank Stock	7,500.00
Real Estate	2,253.75
Furniture and Fixtures	11,234.78
Cash and Exchange	668,764.91 — \$3,372,150.92
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	113,456.85
Circulation	200,000.00
Deposits	2,808,694.07 — \$3,372,150.92

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED AT CENTENARY

Congregation Cleared Away Debt at Service Sunday—Rev. W. S. Phillips Gives Interesting Reminiscence at Meeting Monday—The Program Tonight.

The fiftieth anniversary of Centenary M. E. church and the one hundred and fifth year of the foundation of Methodism is a time of special interest to Methodists of the churches of the city and of Jacksonville district. The influences for good which have emanated from Centenary church have by no means been confined to the bounds of a single city. They may be traced from town to town and from state to state.

Sunday will long be remembered as a red letter day in Jacksonville Methodism. A strong program was carried out and in addition to this all church indebtedness was cleared away. Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock services were held in the Sunday school room in charge of the Rev. W. S. Phillips of Cerro Gordo, Ill. The father of Mr. Phillips was twice pastor of Centenary church and highly interesting were the words of reminiscence given

dist. charge took place in 1823 and the centennial of Methodism will be two years earlier.

Following is the concert program to be rendered at 8 o'clock tonight: Organ—Fantasia (Lux), Miss Myrtle Larimore.

Voice—Sweet Wind That Blows (Chadwick). A Boat Song (Ware), My Heart Ever Faithful (Bach), Miss Rena M. Lazelle.

Violincello—Selected, Mrs. E. D. Canatsey.

Reading—The Woman's Wednesday, The Story of the Red Hen, Miss Millicent E. Rowe.

Violin—Largo (Handel), The Swan (Saint Saens), Miss Eloise Capps.

Euphonium—Selected, J. Bart Johnson.

Organ—Overture—Calm, from William Tell (Rossini); Finale, from William Tell (Rossini), Miss Myrtle Larimore.



Rev. E. L. Fletcher.

Monday evening by the son.

Concert This Evening.

This evening a concert will be given in the main auditorium of the church. On Wednesday evening Rev. F. A. McCarty, the district superintendent, will be in charge. This service will be the culmination of the anniversary series and will in many ways be notable.

When the services of the fiftieth anniversary opened Centenary had a debt of \$3,568 and when the final word was spoken this entire sum had been wiped out, the subscriptions exceeding this amount by several hundred dollars. The debt had accumulated in four or five years' time and was occasioned largely by improvements made in the property. Dr. Krantz made an appeal for subscriptions at both services and the response was hearty and liberal. The largest subscription was \$1,000 and came from the Ladies' Aid Society. The total money given was \$4,105.

Loyalty was the lesson that Dr. Krantz pointed out in his Sunday morning sermon and he used the faithfulness of the early Jews toward their church as a fine example. The text was found in the 121st Psalm, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go up into the house of the Lord." "If church members of today had the faithfulness and devotion of the Jews to their houses of worship there would be no empty pews." In the evening Dr. Krantz answered some of the criticisms so often directed at the church, showing how large a place the church occupies in our present day life and how that spirit of usefulness has already been broadened with passing years. Brief remarks were also made by Dr. F. A. McCarty and by Rev. E. L. Fletcher, pastor of the church.

Attended Dedication.

At the evening service there were a number present who had been in the audience when the church was dedicated fifty years ago. Sixty of them came forward and were accorded special honor. They were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rapp, Mrs. Carrie Phillips, Mrs. J. E. Hoffman, Miss Mercy Jackson and Charles Hocking. Deeme Rapp was another one present at the service who also attended the dedication. Frank Bristow, secretary of the official board, read a cordial letter of greeting sent by Central Christian church and the secretary and pastor were requested to send a reply on behalf of the church.

The Sunday school orchestra gave three or four selections at the beginning of the service Monday evening and these were appreciated by each of the members and friends who had gathered. Prayer was offered by Dr. Joseph R. Parker, president of Illinois Woman's College. Mr. Phillips related many incidents of interest which have marked the fifty years of existence as a church. As the son of Centenary's pastor, Mr. Phillips was well acquainted with many of the church's early workers and he had been acquainted also with most of its ministers. He spoke of his own conversion and mentioned the fact that it was from Centenary that he was licensed to preach.

A feature of the program was a duet by Thomas Rapp and Mr. Phillips, two members of a quartet which once took part in Centenary services.

Greetings from Grace Church.

Greetings from Grace church were extended by the Rev. Frederic B. Madden. The Rev. J. N. Jerman of Franklin was present and responded with appropriate words of greeting. Dr. F. M. Rule added his word of reminiscence of early days and Dr. Parker spoke in historic vein, mentioning the fact that Methodism in this community is older than Jacksonville. The city will celebrate its anniversary in 1925, said he, but the foundation of a Metho-

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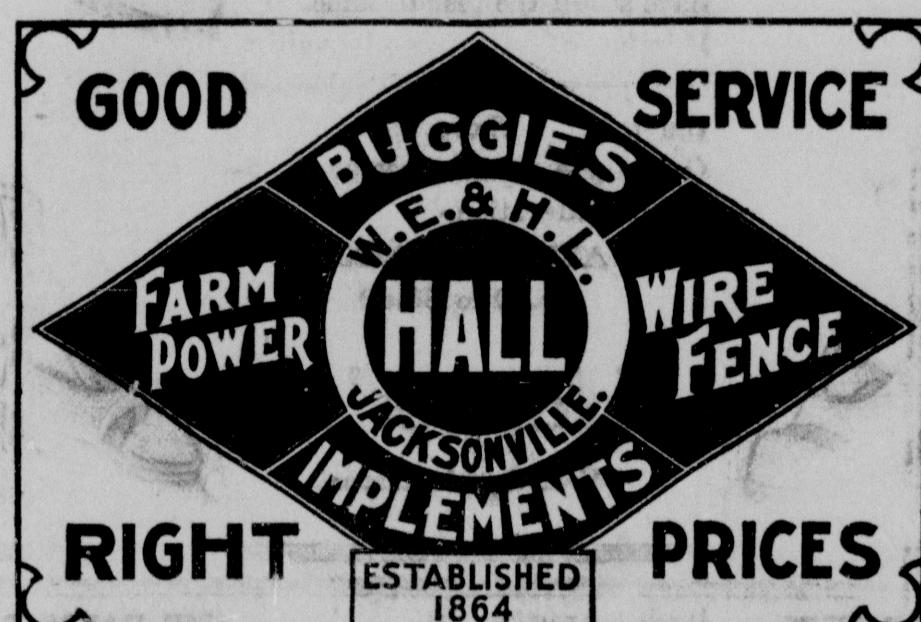
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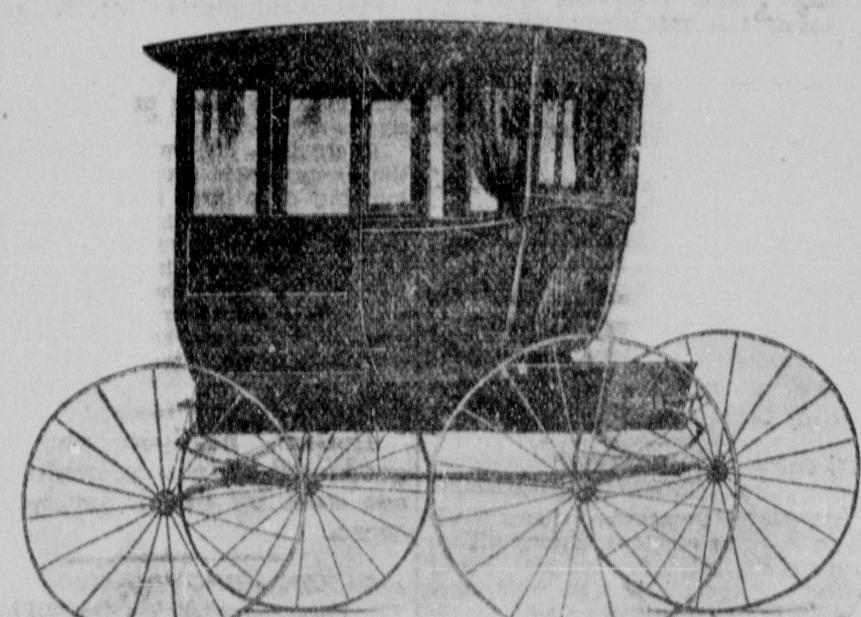
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Preachers and Stewards Will Convene at Grace M. E. Church This Afternoon at 9 O'Clock—Seek \$500,000 Fund for Retired Ministers.

The campaign for an endowment fund of \$500,000 for the benefit of the retired ministers of the Illinois conference will be one of the themes for consideration today at the annual meeting of the preachers and stewards of Jacksonville district, Methodist Episcopal church. This subject will be presented by the Rev. E. L. Fletcher, pastor of Centenary M. E. church.

The meeting will begin at 9 o'clock. Other subjects for consideration are "The Forward Movement in the Sunday School," "Winning Our Constituency" and "The Value and Need of Christian Men."

At 12:15 o'clock the ministers and laymen will meet in the basement of the church and will enjoy luncheon as guests of the Rev. and Mrs. F. A. McCarty. After the lunch the stewards will meet separately, with C. C. Grimmett of Palmyra, a well known layman, in the chair, and the preachers will meet with the district superintendent, Dr. McCarty.

At 2:30 o'clock the ministers and laymen will again assemble and O. T. Purl of Carrollton will present the subject, "The Laymen's Association, Its Possibilities." Dr. Theodore Kemp of Bloomington, president of Illinois Wesleyan university, will be present and will speak on the subject, "The Man and His Job."

The campaign for the half million dollar fund is under the direction of a commission appointed by the last Annual Conference at Springfield, and is composed of fifteen ministers and sixteen laymen prominent in the affairs of the church.

The plan of the campaign is that each church of the Conference shall pay into this fund a sum equal to the cash salary paid to its pastor last year.

For the purpose of more efficient work the churches of the Conference have been divided into three groups; the autumn group which comprises, for the most part, the rural churches; the winter group is composed of the larger towns and cities; and the spring group which involves the churches of the smaller towns and villages.

The pastors of the churches belonging to the autumn group are now busy giving out to their people information concerning the campaign preparatory to a canvass for funds which is to be made in November. This is the greatest undertaking the Illinois Conference has ever attempted and is the paramount work for the Conference year.

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WELL KNOWN ASTORIA CITIZEN DEAD.

Mrs. C. W. House has returned from Astoria where she was summoned on account of the serious illness of her brother, Temple Toler, whose death occurred a few hours after her arrival. Mr. Toler had been for many years prominent in the business and social life of Astoria but with his family had spent the past year or two in California. He was intending to return to California a few months later when suddenly stricken with the disease that caused his death. He had been a man of such prominence in the Astoria community and was so widely respected that during the time of his funeral all the business houses were closed.

Mrs. George Lukeman and daughter left Our Savior's hospital Monday for their home, 1316 West State street.

LOHENGREN TO BE PRESENTED FRIDAY

Coming of Chicago English Opera Company Means Notable Production.

The Chicago English Opera company, which will appear here for an engagement of one day at the Grand Opera House, will present the opera in the English language. The company is composed of some of the world's most famous operatic principals. A company of sixty is travelled, which includes two casts of principals, a large and well-balanced chorus, and a complete orchestra chosen from the leading American musical organizations.

The cast will include: Mmes. Mercedes Dalmaso, Anita Sutherland, Mon. Haigh Jackson, Chas. Gerol, Arthur Deane, and J. Ellenhorn.

Each opera presented here will be under the personal direction of Mr. Basil Horsfall the well-known European composer and conductor. Complete sets of scenery are carried for each opera. A special train is required for the transportation of this company, three cars alone being required for the accommodation of the scenery, wardrobe, and baggage. Mr. Weingarten, president of the corporation, estimates the cost of launching this organization for its first American tour at over one hundred thousand dollars. All scenery, wardrobe and properties being entirely new, built and designed especially for this season. Mr. Johnson, manager of the Grand Opera House, asks us to announce that all seat reservations should be accompanied by check or money order, as owing to the large demand for seats, they cannot otherwise be held.

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THE SOCIAL DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLUB MEETS

The Social Domestic Science Club had a regular meeting Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Lucy Borden. Because of the inclement weather the attendance was not so large as usual. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Hansbrough of Carrollton and Mrs. Sipes and daughter of Fairfield, Iowa. Mrs. Hester Brown of the Needcraft Club was present also and made an interesting talk. Mrs. Uell gave a recitation, after which refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Weir, Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Blue. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Bell on the third Friday in November.

ARENZ IS FINED BY JUSTICE DYER

Francis Arenz was before Justice Dyer yesterday and was fined \$50 and costs on the charge of bootlegging.

MR. PALMER CHEERED DEMOCRATS AT ARMORY

Congressman Told Them Party Stands for Everything the People Want—Wilson Praised in Unstinted Terms.

There seems to be a difference of opinion among democratic orators as to what the Republicans are making the paramount issue in the present campaign. Last week Congressman Rainey, in a speech at the court house, said that peace was the paramount issue. Monday evening, at Armory Hall, Congressman Palmer said the Adamson eight-hour law was the main issue of the Republicans in the campaign. The speaker was introduced by M. F. Dunlap.

Mr. Palmer confined himself mainly to statistics and to the good laws passed by the Democratic administration. The speaker, in his opening remarks, said that political parties were composed of men much the same throughout the country. However, he believed the Democratic party stood for all of the things of which the people approve.

"It is the Democratic party," said the speaker, "which has stripped the shackles from the feet of American business and enabled it to be extended on the seven seas to the uttermost corners of the earth. This condition of prosperity will continue so long as the Democratic party remains in power in Washington."

All Republicans Alike.

The speaker then launched into a criticism of the things Mr. Hughes has said and also took a shot at Roosevelt, Penrose, Root and other Republicans.

Mr. Palmer then told of the things that led up to the passage of the Adamson law. He said that when the Republicans took up the law as an issue he welcomed it.

Speaking of President Wilson's Mexican policy, the speaker read from a statement of Abraham Lincoln in support of the president's policy. In fact, he compared the president with Lincoln much to the gratification and pleasure of his Democratic hearers. "The Mexican question was raised in Lincoln's time. It was raised in Wilson's time," said the speaker. "Lincoln's answer was Wilson's answer." This statement met with great applause from the audience.

The speaker told his hearers that Boise Penrose of Pennsylvania had been called to New York and placed in charge of the Republican campaign. Mr. Palmer said: "When Penrose was called he told the Republican leaders he wanted full control and one million dollars. If Mr. Hughes is elected, said the speaker, 'it will be then the political methods of Boise Penrose.'

Compared Wilson and Lincoln.

Mr. Palmer also brought much clearer to the hearts of his hearers by telling them that Pennsylvania was considered a doubtful state. He appealed to all progressives, regardless of party, to support Wilson, stating that the reason they should do so was because the Democratic party represented the ideals of the progressive party.

In closing, Mr. Palmer referred to the Democratic program for the building of a large navy and the establishment of a large army. The speaker said that he gladly supported the president in that program because he knew that the power of the nation would be safe in Wilson's hands and would be used only for the happiness and welfare of the nation.

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HEADING COLLEGE CAMPAIGN IN PROGRESS

Dr. J. R. Harker Joined With Other College Presidents to Assist in Work of Launching Day.

Dr. J. R. Harker returned yesterday from Knox county where he went to assist Saturday and Sunday in the endowment campaign of Hedding college at Abingdon. Dr. Harker took part in services at Galesburg, Knoxville and London Mills. The day was known as "launching" day and all the ministers of the Methodist church in the territory west of the Illinois river took part in the day's events, and twelve college presidents were there to assist them. Hedding college is now seeking to complete an endowment of \$350,000 and has \$200,000 of that sum. It is necessary to secure the balance in the next six weeks and the campaign is progressing under the direction of Dr. J. W. Hancher, who was so prominently identified with the last campaign of Illinois Woman's college.

November 26 will be "gleaning" day and the campaign is to close November 29. Judged by other special efforts made for Methodist colleges this one will be successful. The Methodist church has raised \$13,000,000 for educational institutions in the last four years and the goal is confidently expected to reach is \$20,000,000 additional within the next two or three years.

As previously mentioned, ministers west of the Illinois are taking part in this special effort but those located in cities east of the Illinois river are reserving their energies and enthusiasm for the campaign which is to be inaugurated a short time later for Onarga college.

WAGES OF WOMEN OFTEN VERY SMALL

Five Dollars and Less Per Week Is General Average, States Pastor in Illustrated Lecture—Series on Social Themes at Christian Church.

"Women and Children in Toil" was the theme of the Rev. M. L. Pontius Monday evening, speaking to a well filled house at Central Christian church in the first number of a series of illustrated talks on social and industrial themes. Some salient facts were brought forward. There are 1,750,178 children between the ages of ten and sixteen in the United States who are wage earners. How many children under ten years are at work we do not know, as the census does not count them, but the number must be large. There are 5,319,912 female bread earners in the United States. The average wage of women workers in all vocations is less than five dollars per week. Facts and figures indicate that the most deplorable conditions exist among the children who are the employees in the cotton mills of this country, especially in some of the states of the South.

The only effective relief will come through a minimum wage to the husband and father, a wage that will provide for the family so that the women and children will not need to be wage earners. The boys and girls of today are to bear the responsibilities of citizenship tomorrow. The boy is the father of the man and the girl is the mother of the woman. They have the right to parental love, legal protection and to the fullest and freest development of all the faculties God has given them.

This was the first of a series of illustrated addresses to be given at Central Christian church during the winter. The other subjects are in the order they will be given:

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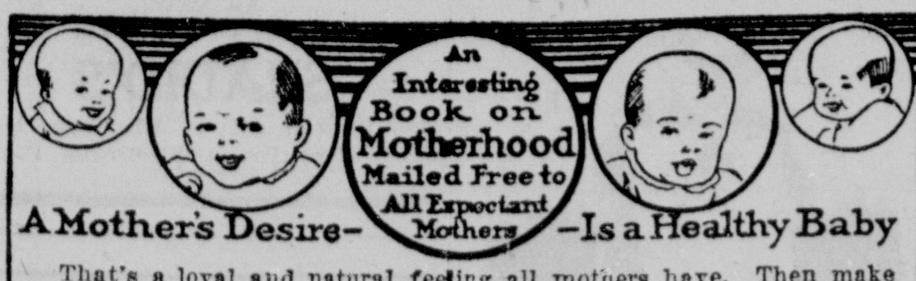
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SINCLAIR CLUB PLANS BUSY YEAR

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The Sinclair Country club has prepared a program of very great interest for the club year, which, by the way, runs clear thru the summer months. The Sinclair club members have found that their interest is just as well maintained in the hot months as in the remainder of the year. The program of each meeting includes some travel studies and in a number of instances domestic themes also have their place.

The program committee includes Mrs. William Richardson, Mrs. Thomas Fox, Mrs. Amos Swain, Mrs. Robert Hopper, Miss Elizabeth Mahon, Mrs. Lester Hart. The members of the club other than those constituting the program committee are Mrs. Charles Bealmeir, Mrs. Thomas Brown, Mrs. Henry Daubert, H. M. T. E. Fox, Mrs. Eugene Hart, Mrs. Albert Hopper, Mrs. Frank Hunter, Miss Anna Mae Wilson, Miss Mary Mahon, Miss Nellie Mahon, Mrs. Clyde Martin, Mrs. Richard Robinson, Miss Rowena Sinclair, Miss Clara Swain, Mrs. J. C. Swain, Mrs. Chester Wilson. The programs for the succeeding meetings of the club year are as follows:

November 1

Roll Call—I Wonder Why. Norway—Miss Wilson. Sweden—Mrs. Hunter. Duet—Miss Elizabeth Mahon, Mrs. Lester Hart.

Hostess—Mrs. Amos Swain. November 15

Roll Call—Facts About Holland. Holland—Miss Sinclair. Belgium—Miss Nellie Mahon. Hostess—Miss Wilson.

December 29

Roll Call—Thanksgiving Desserts. Germany—Mrs. Amos Swain. The Rhine and Cathedrals—Mrs. Lester Hart.

Music—Miss Baxter.

Hostess—Mrs. Wilson. December 13

Roll Call—What I Want For Christmas. Passion Play—Mrs. Richardson. Switzerland—Mrs. Robert Hopper. Music—Miss Sinclair, Mrs. Bealmeir.

Hostess—Mrs. Bealmeir. December 27

Roll Call—New Year's Resolutions. Russia—Mrs. Wilson. Turkey—Mrs. Elizabeth Mahon. Vocal Duet—Mrs. Thos. Fox, Mrs. Lester Hart.

Hostess—Mrs. Brown. January 10

Roll Call—Our Childhood Days. France—Mrs. E. E. Hart. Discussion.

Music—Mrs. Lester Hart.

Hostess—Mrs. Daubert. January 24

Roll Call—Conundrums. Spain—Mrs. Albert Hopper. Italy—Mrs. Robinson. Vocal Solo—Mrs. Bealmeir. Hostess—Mrs. T. U. Fox.

February 7

Roll Call—Sanitary Suggestions. Athens—Mrs. T. U. Fox. Along the Nile—Mrs. Amos Swain. Music—Miss Elizabeth Mahon. Hostess—Mrs. Thos. Fox.

February 21

Roll Call—Stories of Washington. Palestine and Thru the Red Sea—Mrs. J. C. Swain.

Across India—Mrs. Hunter. Music—Mrs. Bealmeir, Mrs. Lester Hart.

Hostess—Mrs. E. E. Hart. March 7

Roll Call—Current Events. Philippines—Mrs. Bealmeir. Australia—Mrs. Brown. Music—Miss Sinclair.

Hostess—Mrs. Lester Hart. March 21

Roll Call—Rhymes of Spring. Honolulu—Mrs. Lester Hart. Thru the Golden Gate—Mrs. Wilson.

Hostess—Mrs. Albert Hopper. April 4

Roll Call—Household Don'ts. Salt Lake City—Miss Wilson. Colorado—Mrs. Martin.

Hostess—Mrs. Robert Hopper.

April 18

Roll Call—Verse of Poetry. To Chicago and Home—Mrs. Richardson.

Discussion of Trip. Vocal Duet—Mrs. Albert Hopper, Mrs. Bealmeir.

Music—Miss Elizabeth Mahon.

Mrs. Lester Hart.

Hostess—Mrs. Hunter. May 2

Roll Call—Musical Composer. The Value of Music—Miss Sinclair.

Musical.

Hostess—Misses Mahon.

May 16

Roll Call—Recollections of School Days.

Spelling Match.

Hostess—Mrs. Martin.

May 30

Roll Call—Name a General.

Patriotic Stories—Mrs. Amos Swain, Mrs. Albert Hopper.

Hostess—Mrs. Richardson.

June 13

Roll Call—Name a Vegetable.

Value of Vegetables as Food—Mrs. E. E. Hart.

Bread and Bread making—Mrs. T. U. Fox.

Music—Miss Sinclair.

Hostess—Mrs. Robinson.

June 27

Roll Call—Elimination in Housework.

The Dark and Bright Side of Housekeeping—Mrs. Robinson.

Duty of Hostess and Guest—Miss Swain.

Violin Solo—Miss Sinclair.

July 11

Roll Call—Our Grandmother's Cooking.

Our Grandmothers and the Women of Today—Mrs. Thos. Fox.

New Inventions for the Housewife—Mrs. Albert Hopper.

Music—Mrs. Lester Hart.

Hostess—Mrs. Amos Swain.

July 23

Roll Call—How to Keep Cool.

Our Clean-up Day Campaign—Miss Nellie Mahon.

Anti-Tuberculosis Movement—Miss Swain.

Hostess—Mrs. J. C. Swain.

August 8

Roll Call—Name an implement.

Poultry Raising—Miss Elizabeth Mahon.

Dairy Products—Mrs. Martin.

Hostess—Miss Wilson.

August 22

Roll Call—Household Remedies.

Book Review—Miss Baxter.

School Lunches—Mrs. Robert Hopper.

Story—Mrs. Daubert.

Music—Miss Baxter.

Hostess—Mrs. Wilson.

September 5

Roll Call—Our Most Disagreeable Task.

Children's Literature—Mrs. J. C. Swain.

Discussion on Child Labor.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Thos. Fox.

Hostess—Mrs. Bealmeir.

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HEALTH EXPERTS GATHER AT CINCINNATI

Meeting of American Public Health Association Will Discuss Paralysis.

Cincinnati, Oct. 23.—With health experts gathered here from all parts of the United States, Canada, Mexico and Cuba for the forty-sixth annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, which begins here tomorrow, the recent infantile paralysis epidemics in various parts of the country are the chief subjects of comment. Several sessions of the meeting are to be devoted to a discussion of this subject and it is expected that opinions, experiences and controversies will be given a thorough airing before the sessions close on Friday night.

Rivaling in interest the poliomyelitis epidemic is the place which public health experts are to occupy in the country's program of preparedness. Experts from the United States Public Health Service are here in considerable number and upon them, under direction of Surgeon William C. Goralski of Panama canal fame rests the responsibility of protecting the officers and men of the army from the ravages of camp diseases. It is pointed out, however, that in case of war the men who are devoting their lives in increasing numbers to public health work will be called upon for most important services in establishment of camp sanitary measures and in guarding army water and food supplies from contamination.

During the week members of the association will visit the Cincinnati pumping and filtration plants and will inspect the various phases of child hygiene, school medical examination, open-air schools, dental clinics and the work which is being done for the conservation of vision in the public schools of the city.

WILL ENFORCE ANTI-SPUTTING ORDINANCE

Commissioner Martin announced

Monday morning that steps would be taken at once toward the strict enforcement of the anti-spitting ordinance.

Commissioner Martin stated that Sup't. Gray of the Jacksonville Railway company was preparing to enforce the ordinance as to street cars.

It is the desire of Commissioners and to ask their assistance in making the enforcement of the ordinance effective.

This step is taken to be in accord with other movements against the spread of tuberculosis and other communicable diseases.

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LONDON, OCT. 23.—**Famous Pill Manufacturer Dies**—Sir Joseph Beecham, manufacturer of patent medicines is dead. He was found lifeless in bed at his home at Hampstead.

ST. LOUIS, OCT. 23.—**U. S. Circuit Judge in Critical Condition**—Albert B. Adams, U. S. Circuit Judge, was in a critical condition this morning as the result of a paralytic stroke.

PITTSBURGH, OCT. 23.—**Bituminous Coal Reaches Record Price**—Bituminous coal reached \$4.25 a ton at the mines here today, \$2.65 a ton higher than the customary price and probably the highest ever commanded.

BROWNVILLE, PA., OCT. 23.—**Fire Loss at Brownville, Pa., Is \$125,000**—The tipple, electric plant and five barges loaded with coal, the property of the Diamond Coal and Coke Company at West Brownsville, Pa., were destroyed by fire early today with a loss of \$125,000.

NEW YORK, OCT. 23.—**Strike Activity In New York Resumed**—Strike activity in the city's transit system was resumed today when several Third Avenue elevated trains were bombarded with stones thrown from roof tops in the Harlem district. Two passengers were injured.

CHICAGO, OCT. 23.—**Chicago Policeman Waylaid by Enemy**—George Doucet, a policeman in full uniform was found in a vacant lot today with a probably mortal gunshot wound in his head. As no shots had been fired from his pistol it was thought the officer may have been waylaid by an enemy.

ST. LOUIS, OCT. 23.—**St. Louis Has Six Murders in Fifty Hours**—Edward Bieginski was found shot to death last night in an alley a short distance from the Mullanphy Pleasant Club, making the sixth murder believed to be the result of "gang" feuds in St. Louis. It was the sixth murder in St. Louis in fifty hours.

KEEKOK, Ia., OCT. 23.—**Drinking of Quart of Whiskey Is Fatal**—Frank Williams, one of the prisoners who raided a cell in which a lot of confiscated liquor was stored, died today as the result of drinking a quart of whiskey. The whiskey was part of the evidence garnered by police men who recently raided so called "temperance" bars in this city.

FREEPORT, ILL., OCT. 23.—**Aged Freeport Woman Dies**—Mrs. Maria Simpson Clingman, whose 107th birthday was but fifty days distant, died today at her home at Cedarville, where she had lived since 1837. She leaves four children, the oldest 74 and the youngest 65; eighteen grandchildren; 27 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

LONDON, OCT. 23.—**Announce the Sinking of Greek Vessel**—Lloyds announced today the sinking of the steamer George M. Embrikos, a Greek vessel of 3,636 tons gross. Twelve of the crew are reported missing. Lloyds also records the sinking of the Norwegian steamer Rabbi of 878 tons gross and Rizoy of 1,129 gross; the Danish schooner Fritzemil and the Swedish bark Lenka.

WASHINGTON, OCT. 23.—**Contend Single Trial of Eastland Suits Improper**—Orders of the Federal courts in Illinois for a single trial of 373 damage suits growing out of the sinking of the Steamer Eastland in Chicago were suspended today by the supreme court with the announcement that the owners' plea for separate trials will be heard December 4. They contend single trial of suits involving several million dollars is improper.

DAVENPORT, Ia., OCT. 23.—**Murder Occurs At Soft Drink Saloon**—Art Trainor, aged 30, was stabbed over the heart and died a few minutes later Sunday night in a free for all fight at a local soft drink saloon near the government bridge connecting Davenport and Rock Island. The fatal knife was wielded by H. Brewer, it is charged, who is now under arrest. John Hughes and Abner McMahon were also injured in the melee.

NEW YORK, OCT. 23.—**More Than 200,000 Drug Users in New York**—More than 200,000 persons in this city use habit-forming drugs, reports District Attorney Swann. Most of these drugs pass through the hands of twenty large distributors, some of whom are women, says the district attorney. He estimates the combined profits of this traffic at \$500,000 a year. Rich and poor, educated and ignorant alike are included among the victims.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., OCT. 23.—**Declares Negro Should Remain in the South**—Major R. R. Moton, president of the Tuskegee Institute, in an address here yesterday declared that the negro should remain in the south and study his own shortcomings with a desire and aim to overcome them. He said the race needs to get rid of the lazy, shiftless negro if it is to be thankful for the white man and added that the race has much to

BOSTON, OCT. 23.—**Gets Recognition for Bravery and Skill**—Bill O'Hara once a star left fielder of the Toronto International league team, and a former scout for the New York National league club, has been recommended for the military cross in recognition of his bravery and skill in hurling bombs for the British army on the Somme battle front, according to advices received here today from his home in Toronto. When O'Hara played in the International league he was noted for his strong and accurate throwing. O'Hara is a lieutenant in a Canadian regiment.

CHICAGO, OCT. 23.—**Detectives Seek To Prove Theory of Oriental Romance**—An Oriental romance, according to a theory on which detectives began working today, may lie at the bottom of the death of Wanda Tango, a Japanese girl whose body was recovered from the river yesterday. The new theory involves also the suicide of Kensaburo Koyama, a 33 year old Japanese butler who cut his own throat last Saturday at the residence where he was employed. Inquiry was started to learn if the two were acquainted.

TOLEDO, OHIO, OCT. 23.—**German Fares Badly In Hands of Canadians**—Hans Schmidt, 20, a German sailor, is in a local hospital with one of his fingers cut off and otherwise mutilated, he says, by Canadian soldiers at Port Arthur, Ont. Schmidt told the police he was advised in Hoboken, N. J., to ship on the Great Lakes. He went to Buffalo where he was offered employment as a seaman on the steamer Chelmsford which carried the British flag. At Port Arthur, he declared, he attempted to pass a guard of soldiers on shore and was struck down by one with the number "122" on the collar of his uniform. Trying to regain his feet, the soldier's bayonet was flashed and one of the sailor's fingers was severed, he claims. Then, he declares, he was beaten unconscious. He was found wandering in the streets.

CALENDAR OF SPORTS FOR THE WEEK
Tuesday

Championship tournament of Women's Golf Assn. of Tennessee opens at Memphis.

Opening of annual bench show of Manitoba Kenel Club, at Winnipeg.

Friday

Irish Patsy Cline vs Mickey Donley, 15 rounds, at Allentown, Pa.

Saturday

Michigan-Syracuse varsity cross-country race at Ann Arbor, Mich.

Annual championship of American Automobile Association on Long Island Speedway.

Al Rudolph McCoy vs Butch O'Hagan, 10 rounds, at Brooklyn.

Football:

Harvard vs Cornell, at Cambridge, Yale vs Washington and Jefferson, at New Haven.

Princeton vs Dartmouth, at Princeton.

Louisiana State vs Sewanee, at New Orleans.

Virginia Polytechnic vs North Carolina Aggies, at Norfolk.

University of Texas vs Baylor, at Austin.

Tennessee vs Florida, at Tampa.

North Carolina vs Virginia Military Institute, at Chapel Hill.

Texas Aggies vs Haskell Indians, at Dallas.

Wisconsin vs Chicago, at Madison.

Northwestern vs Drake, at Evans-ton.

Michigan Aggies vs Oregon Aggies, at East Lansing.

Nebraska vs Nebraska Wesleyan.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

F. G. Taggart to J. D. McLain, one half interest in lot 154 etc. Lake View addition to Meredosia, \$1.

Martha Ham to Ira Alex Ham, east half northwest quarter 31-13-8, \$875.

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SIDEWALKS MAIN THEME BEFORE COUNCIL

Other Property Owners Watch East State Street—Agreement Reached There.

Much of the time at the council meeting Monday morning was taken up in the discussion of the laying of sidewalks where ordinances have been passed for the same. It was the sense of the council that the walks should be laid in East State street first as property owners on other streets were watching the final outcome of that street before doing any work.

When the council convened roll call showed all members present except Commissioner Vasconcellos. He came in before the meeting adjourned. A broken water main in South Main street just south of College street caused the water department employees to work all night to make the repairs.

After the reading of the minutes and approval of the same the Mayor announced that it was hoped to have the controversy relative to pavements which has been going on between the city and the Jacksonville Railway and Light company settled in a few days. The mayor also reported that all of the sidewalks in East State street had been laid or arrangements made to lay the same except one piece. This, the mayor said probably would be settled Monday afternoon.

Commissioner Martin reported that the department had been called to a fire in East Oak street Sunday and that 1700 feet of hose was laid to reach the fire. Commissioner Martin said that about 250 pounds of pressure was required and that the hose had burst in several places.

This brought out the fact that 500 feet of hose had been ordered for the department on August 4, and another 500 feet in September and neither shipment had arrived. Mayor Rodgers suggested that it would be well to make a tap at the pumping station or close there and install a hydrant. The mayor was of the opinion that if the pumps at the north end station were running that it would give ample pressure for any fire in that vicinity. He suggested that Commissioner Martin make a test in the near future when there was no fire in order to ascertain the pressure.

Commissioner Cox reported that his department was hauling cinders and repairing culverts and streets and doing general cleaning up before winter set in.

Mayor Rodgers reported that the concrete walk had been laid in Mathers street. He also called attention to the ordinance passed for North Diamond street and wanted to know about advertising for bids. The city attorney gave the council the law in the matter which is to the effect that bids must be advertised for not more than ten days nor less than five days.

The mayor suggested that all property owners residing in North and South Prairie streets and South Clay avenue should be modified to make all taps before the pavement is laid.

Commissioner Vasconcellos came in at this point. He reported that the department had worked all night repairing the ten inch main in South Main street. A break had occurred just south of College street. The repairs necessitated the shutting off of the water from the Jacksonville Railway and Light company, in order that the plant would not be compelled to shut down a hose was procured and laid from the hydrant at the corner of South West and Anna streets and laid to the company's tank, thru which water was supplied.

The mayor presented the resignation of Dr. H. C. Wolfman from the committee appointed on the Glacklin fund. Dr. Wolfman stated that he was interested in the coming election for the establishment of a county sanitarium and did not believe it best to hold the other portion. The resignation was accepted and the Mayor appointed Dr. Edward Bowe and the appointment was confirmed.

At this point the discussion of sidewalk ordinances was again begun. It was the opinion of the mayor that the council had used all the persuasion possible and that now it would be necessary to use a little force. After this discussion the council, on motion adjourned.

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For generations, the children in the group to which this family belongs, have been warned against playing outdoors after dark because the dew "might fall on them."

With the first chill wind in early fall, the mother of this family has proceeded to stuff the cracks around the windows with rags.

Flannel strips are tacked around the doors each winter so that when they are shut, they are practically sealed.

The doors are never permitted to remain open, until the coming of hot weather makes it a necessity.

Such a thing as sleeping the year 'round with the bedroom windows open is regarded as almost sinful.

There have been some very interesting results from this belief that has been handed down from mother to daughter and from father to son in this family for many generations.

We know now, of course, that this belief was founded on ignorance and the records show that it undoubtedly resulted in several deaths that might have been postponed for many years.

Going on the theory that bedroom windows should be closed and practically sealed at night, the members of

this family and its predecessors have for years slept in rooms that were foul with dirty air.

They would retire at night, secure in the belief that no "draft" could reach them. They usually fell asleep before the stink of foul air became very noticeable.

Their lungs kept on working as they slept, using over and over, air that was filled with poison.

Members of the family often complained of headaches and they were frequent sufferers from colds, grippe, and other diseases of the air passages.

In the past three generations two-fifths of all deaths in this group were caused by tuberculosis, often known as consumption.

Girl members of the family were slain by this preventable disease in their early teens. The boys died in early life, sometimes before or soon after marriage.

Because of the great number of deaths from tuberculosis in this family in succeeding generations, and because there were many other families with the same sort of a record, the belief was prevalent for many years that consumption is a disease that is inherited.

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of enjoying her wealth and social opportunities as most young girls of her age would do, is determined to learn all there is to be learned about her plants and what they produce. She is one of the most earnest students at Stanford, and books about gas and electrical engineering are a more familiar sight about her than dance programs and cotillion favors.

SOME FARM THEMES

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E. J. Henderson of Joy Prairie has returned from Aldeo, where he attended a sale of Chester White hogs and bought some choice animals for his herd. The gentleman makes a specialty of thoroughbreds in this line and has a lot of registered stock. He says the old-time objection that they were more susceptible to mange than darker colored animals has vanished as he has found them as healthy as any other breeds and free from any kind of disease.

He says his experience with them has been that they are prolific and mature early and as hardy as any good breed. He has several times brought six and seven months old animals to 200 pounds and sold them so on the market. He uses the Lion imported dip and applies it by spraying about twice a month, according to conditions, and in that way the skins of his hogs are healthy. With the exception of last year he has been exhibiting eight years and has captured a good number of blue ribbons. He rather prefers individual portable hog houses, as they can be moved about as desired and have a good many advantages. He endeavors to have his sows farrow in March and September, and takes great care in their feed. He believes in keeping broad sows in good condition, though, of course, not too fat. For a week after farrowing he feeds them a slop of oats, tankage, shorts and a very little corn. After that he feeds more grain. By the time the pigs are three weeks old he places a mixture of corn, oats and tankage where the little pigs can get at it, and beginning they eat more and more each day till they eventually learn to eat on it entirely and are weaned at ten to twelve weeks.

After the pigs are weaned he continues the ration of slop, corn, oats and tankage. Oats he finds excellent for bone producing and is very partial to tankage, which he regards as a superior feed for hogs. His show animals he treats differently, only using corn a month before show time, but for fattening for market he likes the combination of oats, tankage, corn and shorts. He says the time is gone by when a man can simply shovel out corn on the ground to his hogs and expect the best results.

He vaccinates about weaning time and gives the double treatment when the animals are eating well. He feeds lightly a week or so before-hand and for two or three weeks afterward. He keeps plenty of salt, ashes and charcoal where his hogs can always get all they will eat, but has never used copperas. He thinks well of good brands of stock food. He sees no need of hogs wallowing, but firmly believes in plenty of good clear water and shade and then the hogs will not suffer with the heat. A hog is naturally a cleanly animal if you will let him be such by correct treatment.

CIRCUIT COURT SUIT

In the circuit court Monday the Commercial Investment Trust company, assignee for the Practical Advertising company, has brought a suit in assumpsit against K. V. Beersup. Only the praecipe has been filed. The amount of the alleged indebtedness is \$500.

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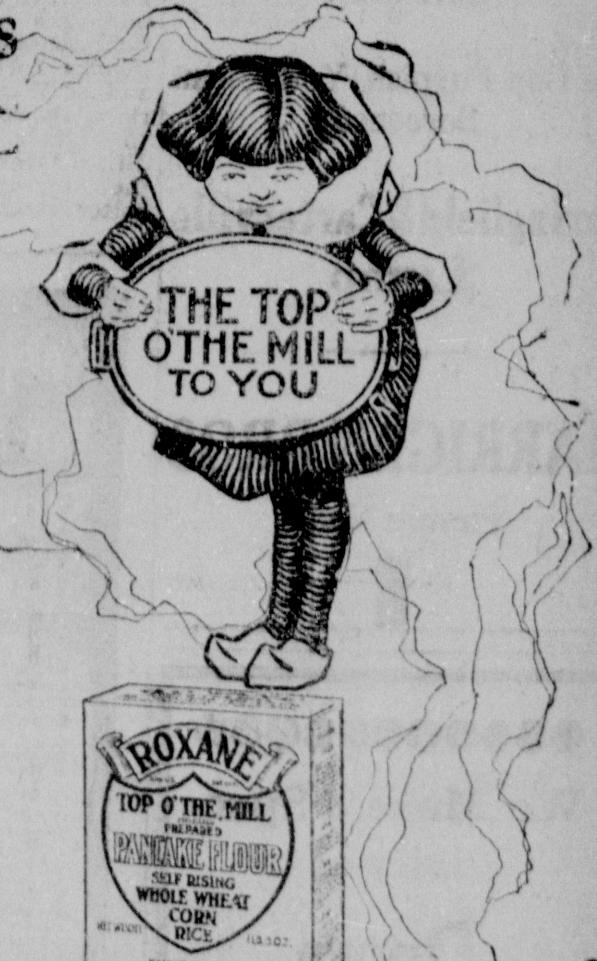
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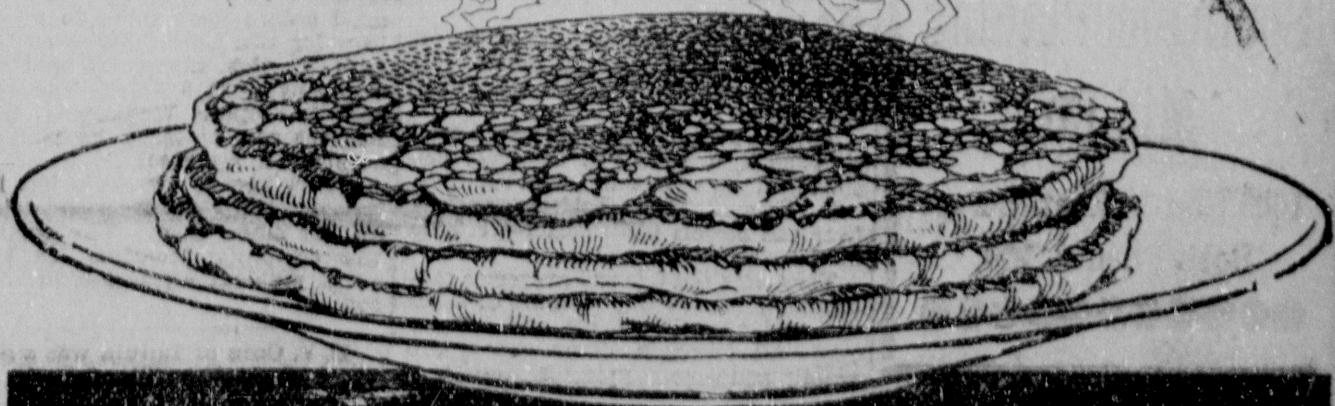


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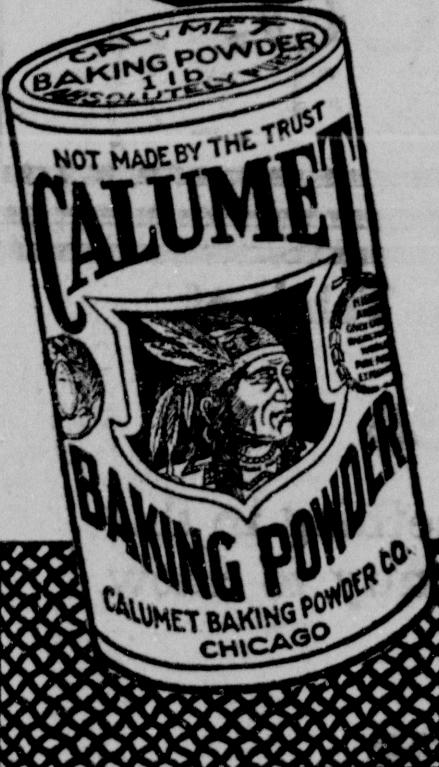
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Solving the Car Shortage Problem

The following clear summary of the car shortage situation appeared in a recent issue of the Manufacturer's News. The article was written by H. P. Lowell of the Bureau of Railway Publicity. This organization has been in existence since the first of the year with the purpose of creating a better understanding between the public and the railroads.

There is usually a large shortage of freight cars at this time of the year; not every year, it is true, but during periods of exceptional business activity there has been universal complaint because the carriers did not have enough cars to supply the demand. Cars are sorely needed for the movement of grain, but all industries are more or less affected, and to find the cause of this shortage we must go into the general financial history of the carriers.

The writer has just returned from a tour of central Illinois, where the cry for more grain cars is particularly insistent at present. On Sept. 20 he represented the Bureau of Railway Publicity of Illinois at a conference of grain dealers and railroad officers of the Public Utilities Commission where the methods of supplying grain cars were discussed at length. Many of the grain dealers expressed themselves emphatically in favor of providing the railroads with income sufficient to allow them to build enough cars to meet the demands of this season of the year.

Money Needed For Equipment

The railroads have no large contingent fund on which to draw for the improvements necessary to handle the increased demands of commerce. This year, because of the exceptional amount of business transacted in this country due to the war in Europe, the railroads have enjoyed greater earnings than ever before. But increased business alone cannot provide the money with which to buy more equipment. It would not be practicable for the railroads to carry a surplus number of grain cars with which to move grain during the sixty or ninety-day period which occurs annually at this time of the year, and it has not been found practicable for elevator companies to own their own cars as do the shippers of meat and food products which require special refrigeration service.

The movement of grain from one end of the country to the other is too vast a problem. The railroads are doing their best to meet the demands for cars, although they have been unable to maintain a supply equal to the demand. The grain trade is desirable and under normal conditions it could be handled without trouble by the carriers. Railroads in Hands of Receivers

It is not a question of how to distribute or apportion the grain cars among the elevator men, but of how to get the cars for distribution at a time when cars are needed in every branch of business. The public is well aware of the congestion of loaded cars in eastern terminals, but the public does not seem to realize that it takes money to run the railroad business, the same as any other business.

"That all railroads are rich and powerful, seems to be a popular misconception, despite the fact that one-seventh of the railroad mileage of this country is in receivers' hands. The proportion of mileage in the hands of receivers today is much less than it was in 1896, because the lower mileage now operated, but the Railway Age Gazette has pointed out the startling fact that the total mileage in receivers' hands is almost exactly the same as it was twenty years ago.

It is folly to exclaim, "Let the railroads be operated upon a business basis," for where is the railroad official today who is not doing his utmost to give good service honestly and efficiently? At present the railroads have placed large orders for freight cars, but these large orders cannot be filled for months to come. As a recent editorial in the St. Louis Republic observes, "Railroads, manufacturers, farmers and the general public must grin and bear the situation. There is nothing else to be done until the railroad industry of this country is placed upon a sound and more permanent legislative, wage and financial basis."

The Bureau of Railway Publicity has found that the manufacturers throughout the state are in sympathy with the request of the railroads for fair rates which will enable the carriers to take care of the increasing amount of business. The manufacturers protested against the demands of the engineers, firemen and trainmen for increased pay, because they realized that railroad earnings should be applied to the purchase of more rolling stock.

The need of regulation is recognized, but regulation should be scientific and business like. Why should a regulatory body limit the earning capacity of an institution and yet refuse to limit the amount of money that should be paid out by that institution in wages, taxes and improvements demanded by the public?

BIG DEMAND FOR OPERA TICKETS

Manager Johnson of the Grand Opera House said last night that small orders have come in very rapidly for the performance of Lohengrin by the English Grand Opera Company next Friday. The regular seat sales open Wednesday, but selections can be made by mail if accompanied by check.

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Congregational Minister Gave Interesting Facts About Early Residents to Whom the Present Generation Owes Much.

The year 1920 will be the three hundredth anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims or Puritans on Plymouth Rock and the virtual beginning of Congregationalism in this country. The churches of that denomination are already beginning to make preparations for a great celebration of the event. Rev. R. O. Post, D. D., pastor of the Congregational church, gave an interesting discourse Sunday evening on the subject of the Puritans, giving their ancestry, which is of the best and paying a just tribute to their grand character and achievements.

The country owes a debt to this people which is not surpassed by the obligation to any other persons in the world. They founded schools, colleges and churches. They were God fearing, conscious of God. Liberty was their keyword. They owned supreme allegiance to God only and to no human prelate. They sought both civil and religious liberty for the two they found loosely interwoven.

There have been three great types of conquering nations. The orientals, like Persia, enslaved the captive peoples. The Romans subjugated captured lands and incorporated them into the great commonwealth exacting tribute and supplying rulers. The English, by conquest, permitted the conquered to become a part of the nation, with representation.

When the Roman nation became Christianized there was a change and there was danger of being weakened by luxury. Then came the outpouring of the Goths and Vandals and the proud nation that had ruled the world was overpowered. The conquering hosts had good qualities. They believed in purity and safeguarded the home. In a sense, too, they saved the church and gave to Europe some of its choicest architecture. They gave Dante and other great writers. Then came the Norman conquest and from 449 to 597 Christianity was not in Britain. Later it was converted to the worship of God, but the predominating ecclesiastical power was intolerant and persecution most dreadful was the result.

This was galling to the people of sturdy ancestry, who sought freedom to worship according to the dictates of their consciences. They sought freedom in all things. They sought freedom in all things. They have been called narrow and bigoted but when it is remembered how great persecutions they endured before sailing for the new world and vastly ahead of the time they were in all manner of progress they are entitled to the greatest praise. They sought freedom to worship God; to establish full religious liberty, education for all and the best in all things attainable. The discourse was one which was a just tribute and fair and accurate in all points.

Criticisms of the Puritans reminds one of a story of a smart young man who visited the world's fair at Chicago, and noticing a statue of George Stevenson in front of the transportation building, asked what that man had done to deserve such great honor and was told he had been a pioneer, perfecting the locomotive and putting it into actual use, and then his informant took the young man into the building and showed him the first locomotive ever used in this country.

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Mr. and Mrs. Crum will feel the loss of so good a horse, but they have the sympathy of the whole town and community and they will long remember the good points, the kind disposition and the good sense of Dandy.

The Literary M. E. Society will serve a noon hour lunch at Arcadia on Wednesday, at the sale of J. J. Clark. Lunch committee: Mrs. Charlie Clark, Mrs. Wayne Dunwidie, Mrs. Oral Rexroat. The money will be used for the Passavant Memorial Hospital Building Fund.

Rev. F. M. Crabtree filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church on Sunday morning and evening, preaching two fine sermons from the Book of Job. A revival meeting will commence at the church on the 29th and will last for two weeks or more, conducted by the regular pastor.

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The New Agriculture--the Coming Science

(Continued from Sunday.)

(By Mrs. J. Marshall Miller.)

Missouri was one of the first states to see the importance of the agriculture college, then Michigan came strongly to the front, and now nearly every state in the union has a strong state agricultural college.

Here it is that the farmer boys are getting their education, and here it is they are getting the agricultural training that will make this nation the foremost agricultural nation in the world.

Here they are taught the great value of soil analysis and the need of supplying that in which the soil is deficient. In former times the farmer blundered along, and by costly experience came to find that this piece of land would not raise certain crops and may be after years of almost failure of crops found that it would raise some other crop. Today the younger farmer is taught to analyze his soil, and there is no guessing as to what is needed in the line of fertilizers or as to what crops are best adapted to that land. Our dairy industry has been greatly increased by the knowledge gained at our experiment stations. Here the most complex and exacting science is used in testing the results of different feeds, to produce dairy products and the quickest animal growth for the least money.

We used to think any man could make a farmer, but to be a successful farmer, a man must be painstaking, exacting in the extreme— one who attends to everything with the regularity of clock work—ever alert and watchful—tireless and willing and ready at all times to meet new emergencies, studious and above all, patient and always on the job. Farming is no child's play—something one can work at today and be away tomorrow or for a week.

Chemistry enters largely into the work of the scientific farmer. There is greater call today for scientific or expert farmers, than for men of any professions. In many localities county farmers are employed. These men are graduates of the best agriculture schools, and are employed at from \$2,000 to \$3,500 per year.

Tell me of any other profession where a man can graduate in his chosen life work and step into so remunerative a position. The young man who graduates in law or medicine expects to spend years working up a practice before he can have such an income. These county, or district agents go about thru their territory advising the farmers in all lines of their work. How to feed cattle and hogs so as to put on the most fat at the least cost of feed—analyzing the soils and telling the farmer what his soil needs, and whether it will pay best to buy commercial fertilizers or grow legumes to plow under. Telling him what is best adapted to his land as a crop, and when insects, blight and blight and drouth come advising him how best to overcome such conditions. In fact a doctor of agriculture.

The systematic and thorough study of pests and diseases incident to the farm has done much to overcome the draw backs to farming. With many kinds of crop spraying, with some mixture which is poisonous to the insect or fungus growth will control it. But it is not practical to spray all crops. Spraying fruit trees comparatively easy, but one can't spray a wheat crop in order to stop the Hessian fly or the rust. One can spray apple trees to stop the fungus growth and scab on the fruits or for worms or aphids, and the brown rot in peaches and curly leaf and cherry blight or shot hole fungus and for all kinds of caterpillars, for rice and San Jose scale, but how can one spray for chinch bugs which suck the juice of the plant and live between the leaves of the wheat or corn and the stalks where they are completely out of reach?

It is comparatively easy to control the potato bug or beetle and the army worm, but nothing has been found to successfully cope with the

boll weevil which destroys millions of dollars worth of cotton every year in the south land. The government has spent vast sums of money and her experts have labored for years in trying to discover a way to rid the country of it. It is a harmless looking little bug, not as large as the potato bug and like it has a hard back. He came across the Rio Grande river from Mexico and moved northward and eastward thru Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and part of Kansas. Planters hoped that the Mississippi river would stop him, but no, he is still marching steadily eastward at the rate of about fifty miles a year. The full grown beetle bores a hole into the young ball of cotton and there deposits its eggs. When hatched the worm eats its way out thru the fibre of the cotton, causing the ball or pod to drop off. Whole fields of cotton, and especially those of late planting, are destroyed by this insect. Spraying has little effect, other insects have been imported to make war on the boll weevil and birds have been introduced from abroad, and the weevil itself inoculated with disease, but all to little effect.

In the great orchard districts of our country, particularly in New York state the new system of spraying fruit trees with insecticides and poisons in the dust form is being tried out. While still in the experimental stage the results obtained by the horticultural department of Cornell university give great promise of the success of this method. It is far easier of application than the liquid form of sprays, more efficacious and cheaper.

The world is full of the constant war between good and evil in the moral and religious world. Of disease and death in the vegetable, as well as in the animal creation. Weeds, insects, blights and decay ever keep the farmer and fruit grower on the alert, and the battle goes on less continuous in the agricultural world, than in the world of morals. A new pest or disease develops, and again and again is science called upon to meet it. The best minds of men and the most modern equipments of the laboratory, are constantly being called upon to cope with the ever increasing problems that confront the agricultural world.

The times have changed in regard to farm life perhaps more than in any line of labor. The telephones and daily delivery of mail to the farmer keeps him in close touch with the market and the world in general. The interurban trolley car in many localities gives the farmer's children the advantage of schools, lectures, concerts, etc., in the city, and at the same time allows the home ties to remain unbroken. The automobile has almost obliterated the distinction between urban and interurban life. Gas and electric power is common on the farm. Labor saving and time saving inventions have brought the rural life out of the privations and drudgery of a few decades ago and given a new life and opportunity to the farming community.

Agricultural machinery and implements, have multiplied, probably more than in any other one industry. Scientific invention, scientific soil cultivation, scientific stock breeding and marketing, scientific fruit growing and crop raising are the order of the day. Farmers papers, farmer's institutes, farmer's bulletins, both state and national are ever ready and the farmer of today is attending lectures on scientific farming in its various lines.

Good roads is the slogan the country over. The auto it seems is going to bring about road conditions which means farm products can be put upon the market regardless of weather the year round.

The U. S. government is spending thousands of dollars annually in scientific research in the interests of agriculture and all that pertains to the advancement and welfare of rural life not only in the fields and with the stock but the farmer's house, and how it may be made more comfortable, handy and healthful, and how the social side of his family may be given wholesome and instructive entertainment and the highways improved for his travel.

We are glad the newspapers and magazines of the country have within the last few years been devoting much space to the subject of "back to the soil" and that it is a popular topic and that it is advocated, as an ideal, healthful and remunerative life and occupation. Our schools and colleges as well as our Universities are putting the agricultural course into their curriculum of studies.

All this is well. It is the dawn of a new day. The best preparedness the country can turn to—not only to feed her people but to give them that stability of character, moral poise and robust physique that makes a nation self-reliant, stable and courageous.

That nation or community, which abandons its farmers and rural life and flecks into the cities and crowded centers and leaves the farms to the tenant class, often foreigners, and seeks the city life and its allurements, soon goes to decay.

When Imperial Rome had conquered the world and left her lands to be cultivated by plebeians and slaves, she lapsed into luxury, excesses and vice and Rome fell. What has been the record in Ireland? Even our high born New England has lost her high standing and place in the affairs and ideals of our country.

We are very hopeful of the outlook. Times and the ideals of a people change. The life of the farmer is not looked upon now as one of menial labor and hardship. I have heard a good old farmer say to his sons, "Get an education and don't have to dig your living out of the ground as I have done." He would

not say that now. Science, invention have reached out their helpful hand to the farmer and more than all public sentiment has changed and the country looks now upon the farmer with envy rather than sympathy. What a grand change—brought with so much that is good and great in the health, morals, wealth and happiness of our people. The stability, independence and power of our republic is in the keeping of our rural population.

When ancient Rome needed a leader to save her from her enemies she called Cincinnatus from his plow and made him dictator, and when he had brought victory and restored peace to his country he could not be tempted by political power but returned to his plow. In our nation's history at Washington, a Lincoln, a Grant and a Garfield—men from farms and the country homes were called to direct the ship of state. The union itself was preserved by the soldiers from the prairies, the woodland and hillside. Wonderful heritage is that of the child reared in the sunshine and free air, close to nature and nature's God in the country home.

If it were not for the rich, red, vivid blood of the farm coming into our cities, they would soon fade and decay. Did you ever stop to think of the jurists, the bankers, the railroad presidents—the men who do "big business" in our land—who are they? The boy from the farm, James J. Hill, the Empire Builder was such a one and his success was in the recognition of the possibilities of raising and marketing the grain and cattle of the great, fertile Northwest.

All honor to the teacher who teaches the science of good farming, to the magazine writer that advocates better farming and more farming; to the poet like Will Carleton and James Whitcomb Riley who sings of the graces and charms, of the dear old farm and the country life.

Shame on the parent that would teach his child to shun the farm and the simple life as beneath his ideals and aspirations. The possibilities for greatness, goodness and beneficence in modern farm life are beyond comparison. It makes for this life and for the life to come, fortune and for eternity.

YOUNGBLOOD PRAIRIE

B. F. Joss was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

The rain of Wednesday prevented the auto delegation of Rainey Democrats from making their complete round as expected in this vicinity.

Albert Henry of Chandlerville and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fanning of the region of Carrollton were called here Saturday by the severe illness of J. K. Henry, who is not expected to live. His sons, Newton and Albert of North Dakota are expected Sunday or Monday.

A subscription is being raised for money with which to build a sidewalk from the corner at Thos. Miner's to the schoolhouse and some crosswalks from the store to Mr. Wells'. Considerable has been secured but much more is needed and the walk is a necessity for the children attending school.

A horse of Otis McNeely fell dead in the road Sunday.

A number from the south side attended the funeral of Isaac Clausen Saturday.

J. L. Wyatt's new house will be completed soon and will be occupied by J. T. Lacey and family. Mr. Lacey lived on the place before and was a victim of the fire which destroyed the house and his goods.

DAVIS SWITCH

Miss Connolly, teacher of the Routh school, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Will Paul.

Misses Alma and Inez Wizirz were Saturday visitors with their cousin, Miss Lucille Barnhart, in South Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Grimmett and children, George and Ralph, and daughter, Reta, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leach spent a very pleasant day at the home of Mr. Ben Reece south of the city.

The Unity Workers will hold an all day meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Nicol in Woodson. Dinner will be served at 12 noon everybody invited.

A reception will be given next Friday night for the new pastor of the Woodson Christian church. All who would like to meet the new minister are invited.

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—MANCHESTER—

The Misses Lewis of Roodhouse spent Saturday with their aunt, Mrs. Bellie Gidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curtis returned Saturday night and are with the groom's mother, Mrs. Ella Curtis.

Mrs. Wm. Smith and daughter Nora left Saturday for their home in Waverly after a visit with N. F. Smith and wife.

Miss Ruby Shirley spent Sunday in White Hall with relatives.

Miss Ethel Ross and mother of Jacksonville spent Sunday with Lloyd Ross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare McGowan of Roodhouse have been here several days visiting Frank Curtis' family, before leaving for their new home Akron, Ohio, where Mr. McGowan will work in an automobile tire factory.

Frank Curtis is home from a week's visit with relatives in Macoupin county.

Mrs. Jennie Kelley of White Hall came up Sunday evening for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Sloan.

Mrs. Frank Dawdy returned Sunday evening from a visit in White Hall.

Elder Leo Howard, pastor of M. E. church in White Hall spoke in the M. E. church here Sunday evening to a good sized audience. The regular pastor, Mark White, is away engaged in a meeting.

Miss Linnie Blevins was down from Jacksonville Sunday.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

Immediately following the adjournment of the council the board of local improvements went into session. The contract of the Standard Paving company of Chicago for the paving of Prairie street was presented. The contract was read and found satisfactory except that the amount of \$5 per day was changed to \$25 per day as penalty for the completion of the contract. It was the sense of the board that the company should sign the contracts and send them together with their bond before the board State street. The board on motion of Mr. Martin seconded by Mr. Cox the president of the board was empowered to act in the matter of laying the remaining sidewalks in East street. The board on motion then adjourned.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank the many friends for their help and kindness during the illness and after the death of my wife, and also for the beautiful floral offerings. H. A. Tarwell.

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